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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:                      Fist et al.                      Atty. Docket: J&J-1763  
Serial No.:                      09/600,500                      Art Unit:                      1661  
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For:    Improved Production Of Reticuline                      Confirmation No.: 4831

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

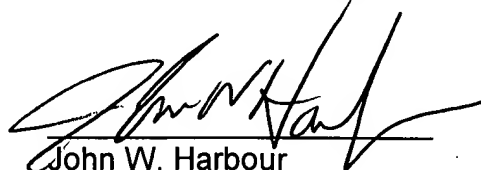
Sir:

Applicant requests a three (3) month extension of the time for response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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